



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No.: 01142.0122

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Mark H. PAUSCH <i>et al.</i>)	
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Application No.: 08/816,011)	Group Art Unit: 1646
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Filed: March 11, 1997)	Examiner: Michael D. PAK
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For: POTASSIUM CHANNELS, NUCLEOTIDE)	
SEQUENCES ENCODING THEM, AND)	
METHODS OF USING SAME)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Office action mailed September, 25, 2003, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in this request for reconsideration. In view of the concurrently-filed Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time and appropriate fee, this response is due by March 25, 2004, and is timely filed.

Amendments to the claims begin on the following page. Applicants' remarks follow the claim amendments.